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VOLUME XXI—NO. 227 CHARLEROI, WASHINGTON COUNTY, PENNSYLVANIA. WEDNESDAY, MARCH 2, 1921 TWO CENTS.

RELEASES SIGNED FOR PROPERTY DAMAGES IN SPEERS BOROUGH

Splendid Progress Being Made Toward Securing Rights of Way

PROSPECTS MUCH BRIGHTER

County Commissioners Johnson and Walker, accompanied by the county engineer, George S. Chaney, and G. D. Myers, of the State Highway Department, together with a committee from the Charleroi Chamber of Commerce, composed of Walter Byerly, R. H. Rush and Kerfoot W. Daly, went over the right of way for the proposed new highway through Speers borough this morning. In the party also were Van and Charles Speers, and A. D. Scott, from Monongahela.

The object of the inspection was to obtain from the Messrs. Speers and Mr. Scott releases and waives for any damages that might result to their properties by reason of the construction of the new highway between Speers and Allenport.

After making the view the party adjourned to the Elks club for dinner and discussion, which reulted in the above named property owners signing damage releases for 3,000 feet of right of way along the proposed highway. Included with Mr. Scott was the Manown interests.

The securing of these releases will be a potent factor in securing other releases along the proposed highway and makes the prospects for the improvement of the road much brighter.

As to Section 4 of Route 268, leading from the northern line of Allenport to the southern line of Stockdale borough, prospects look very encouraging, and as soon as concessions are obtained from certain property owners, it will make a clear right of way between Speers and Roscoe for the new highway.

BOTH DEFENDANTS WERE FOUND GUILTY

In criminal court at Washington on Monday, Harry J. Lyons of Pittsburg and John Budamer, or Herminie, accused by Anton Morich, of Donora, with conspiracy and false pretense, were found guilty on both charges. The jury was out only ten minutes. On plea of counsel for the defendants, sentence was deferred until Monday next. In the meantime in defaut of $5,000 bail each, Lyons and Budamer were remanded to jail.

Morich charged that he gave the defendants $2,000 for an interest in some farm land near Warren, Ohio, but that an investigation proved they were not owners of the property. The defendants at the trial claimed they only sold Morich an option on the land, and that they so explained to him.

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VERDICTS TAKEN BY AGREEMENT

Verdicts were taken by agreement on Monday in court at Washington in the suit of Catherine F. Reeves, against the Bradford Gas Coal company, and Clara N. Huber against the same company, for $800 and $595 respectively. The suits were claims for damages for subsidence of surface of lands of the plaintiffs in East Pike Run township, due to mining operations carried on thereunder by the defendant company.

POSITIONS AFFECTED BY RAILROAD ORDER

As a result of the retrenchment policy of the Pennsylvania Railroad, by which the Pittsburgh Terminal Division was abolished, a number of changes will be made along the Monongahela Division, which is operated from the office of the Superintendent at Uniontown.

It is probable that in the abolishment of the Pittsburgh terminal, over which the Monongahela Division officials had no control, a number of clerks formerly with the Monongahela division and recently with the Pittsburgh terminal, whose positions are now abolished, will "bump" back to positions on the Monongahela division in Uniontown. However, a number of employes whose positions are disturbed may not want to move to the Fayette county capital, and may seek employment in the community in which they are now located. The Monongahela division will continue to have jurisdiction over the same lines as heretofore, the north end of the tracks of the Monongahela from Port Perry bridge to the Panhandle, being operated by the Pittsburgh division. No change will be made in the location of headquarters of the Monongahela division.

The following changes have been announced in the reorganization of the force:

Trainmaster J. L. Pringle returns to his former position as assistant trainmaster at Shire Oaks, and is succeeded by the senior man, G. W. Cirtiss, the former trainmaster of this division. W. T. Montague, who came with the division a year ago as Master Mechanic, is succeeded by F. S. Robbins, master mechanic of the abolished division; Supervisor Grove of Monongahela City is succeeded by W. J. Gilbert, and Assistant Supervisor C. P. Willis of Monongahela, is succeeded by Charles Weiss.

LENTEN SERVICE AT CHRIST LUTHERAN CHURCH

Lenten service at Christ Lutheran Church this evening. The service will be conducted and sermon delivered by Rev. J. Eugene Dietterich, D. D., pastor at Donora, Pa. The time of service is 7:30.

Hemstitching neatly and promptly done. White Sewing Machine Co., 423 Fallowfield Avenue. 224t6p*

California Commandery Joins Charleroi Knights of Malta

Tuesday evening, March 1st, was a red-letter date in the annals of Valley Echo Commandery, No. 379, Knights of Malta, whose asylum is located in Charleroi. Not only was the Commandery visited in an official way by Deputy Grand Commander T. H. Gemmell, but likewise it marked the occasionof theconsolidation of Via Cruci Commandery, No. 454, of California, with a membership of 50 companions, with the local organization. This consolidation makes the Charleroi Commandery one of the largest in the valley, as it is at the present time one of the most prosperous and most progressive.

The local Commandery, which purchased the old borough property on Fallowfield avenue several months ago, has some ambitious plans in view, and when they are consummated, which will be some time this spring, it will place the organization in a position to be ranked as one of the best commanderies in the state.

The presence of the District Deputy Grand Commander was for the purpose of installing newly elected officers, to serve for the ensuing term and the following members were inducted into their respective stations: Sir Knight Commander, C.J. Schultz; Generalissimo, W. E. Hazlett; Captain General, Robert Coulter; Prelate, O. E. Schultz; Recorder, A. L. Fowers; Assistant Recorder, W. C. Walters; Treasurer, J. Ed Schultz; Sr. Warden, R. V. Cocain; Jr. Warden, P. J. Parmentier; Sword Bearer, George Garrett; Standard Bearer, James L. Jacobs; Warder, A. M. Marshall; Sentinel, Charles Eberg; First Guard, Paul Jacobs; Second Guard, Elmer Kistler.

After the ceremonies incidental to the installation of officers was over and the business of the Commandery completed, the social committee took charge of affairs and served a very elaborate lunch.

CHARLEROI DROPS ANOTHER GAME

The game at the high school gymnasium last evening, started off in a manner which indicated that the contest might develop into a fast and exciting one. It did, for a brief while. But, in the words of the old ditty, "appearances oft are deceiving," and while the visitors put up a most spirited exhibition, some of the locals, due to lack of physical condition and that very essential thing, practice, were unable to really afford the spectators the worth of their admission money. Of course, it is needless to say that the visitors were victorious. Charleroi was out-shot, out-footed, out-guessed, and out-played in general, to the tune of 25 to 14.

The visitors gave an exhibition which displayed careful preparation. Carroll, the noted W. & J. athlete, who coaches the team, was in charge. Lyle, who played center, was the chief scorer for his team, securing five field goals, and they were right classy efforts. Miller, Jones and Lanoay each added a field goal apiece.

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FUNERAL SERVICE FOR RUTH MELENYZER

Funeral service for Ruth Melenyzer who died Tuesday morning at the home of her parents, will be held at the chapel in Monongahela cemetery Thursday afternoon at 3 o'clock.

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BRIEF SESSION OF BOROUGH COUNCIL

A regular meeting of council was held at the borough building Tuesday evening, with all members present except VanVoorhis.

Mr. Crites was present asking as to disposition of a petition for a light on Lincoln avenue extension. The matter was referred to the light committee.

Mr. Latchem was present and presented a petition for the paving of Meadow avenue, from Tenth to the borough line. The question will be determined later, and will depend on finances.

Mr. Brand presented a report on borough ordinances. He was directed to have an index prepared, giving title and number of ordinance.

The bond of Reed & Pfile for the safety of an alley, from under which they will mine coal, was presented and accepted.

An ordinance presented by John Latchem, providing for the mining of coal from under an alley on the hill, was passed finally.

The tax collector presented his reports for January and February. In January he collected $775.84 and in February $246.29.

Burgess Woodward's report showed thirteen hearings and $19.00 turned over to the borough.

Mr. Lee Luken, Expert tailor representative of the Globe Tailoring company will be at Berryman's Wednesday and Thursday, March 2nd & 3rd, showing their complete line of spring fabrics. Now is the time to get measured for your Easter Suit.
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Use the Classified Column.

LORD MAYOR OF CORK WILL VISIT CHARLEROI THIS MONTH

To Make a Public Address on the Evening of March 18th

LOCAL COMMITTEES IN CHARGE

Donal O'Callaghan, Lord Mayor of Cork, Ireland, who is to speak in Pittsburg, on the 17th of March, under the auspices of the Pittsburg branch of the American Association for the Recognition of the Irish Republic, will visit Charleroi on Friday March 18, and will speak that same evening from the balcony in front of the Hotel Wilbur building, if the weather is suitable.

The appearance of Lord Mayor O'Callaghan will be under the auspices of the Charleroi Branch of the American Association for the Recognition of the Irish Republic, and plans are now being made for his visit to this locality. Should the weather on the 18th be stormy or unsuitable the address of the distinguished visitor will be delivered in one of the halls of the borough, location to be announced later.

Mr. O'Callaghan has been in the United States for several weeks, arriving at Newport News, Va., as a stowaway, which caused quite a difference of opinion at Washington as to his status. He was finally classed as a seaman by the Labor Department, and is under instructions to return to Ireland, but he is given the privilege of selecting the time and the vessel on which he will travel back to his native land. He has spoken in many of the leading cities of the East, and his coming to Charleroi at the instance of the local branch is regarded as quite an honor to the workers in the cause of Irish freedom in this section of the valley. Local committees are now engaged in working out the details of the coming visit, which will be announced from time to time, as they are ready to be made public.

EGG PRICES ARE STILL TUMBLING

The price of eggs are tumbling, according to James F. Malone, of the department of supplies of the city of Pittsburg, he announced on Tuesday. The month's supply for the city was contracted for at the rate of 37 1-4 cents per dozer, where as the February contract was at the rate of 53 1-4 cents. The March contract for butter was let at 55 1-4 cents, as against 66 1-4 cents paid in February.

STREET LIGHTING WAS DISCUSSED

The Committee on Street Lighting met last evening and there was a very earnest discussion in regard to the whole lighting situation in Charleroi. Some of the committee were of the opinion that the question of illumination for the entire city ought to be considered, while others felt that the "White Way Lighting" was all that we could undertake for the present.

One of the most vital parts of the discussion had to do with the method of financing the lighting. Three methods have been used in various places for financing the White Way projects.

1. Where the store keepers and merchants defray the initial cost of the improvement.

2. Where the city has contributed toward the financing of the same.

3. Where property owners alone have undertaken improvements.

5. In Spokane, Washington, for example, there is a ten-year contract with the property owners that after the initial cost of installation has been paid by them, they will undertake three-fourths the cost of such maintenance, the remaining fourth to be paid by the city. The property becomes a city charge after the end of the ten year period. The Spokane sysem was worked out by ex-mayor G. M. Fassett, who believes that in this apportionment of cost, the city has attained as nearly an equitable basis as is possible. In Sharon, Pa., the following petition was as submitted to council:

Gentlemen:—We the undersigned owners of property with frontage abutting on State street respectfully petition your Honorable Body to enact the necessary legislation to provide White Way Electric Light on said street from Irvine Avenue to Sharpsville street by means of ornamental posts.

These lights are to be 600 candle power, Nitrogen Tungsten Lamps giving strong, steady white light and are to be mounted on ornamental

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NEW SHERIFF WILL SOON TAKE OFFICE

Alexander B. Gray, appointed Sheriff by Governor Sproul to serve until next January, will take charge of the office as soon as official notification is received by Coroner Greenlee, who is now acting as Sheriff, ad interim. When Mr. Gray takes office he will receive a stated salary instead of fees as provided by law for all counties having a population in excess of 150,000. The jail will then also be separated from the sheriff's care and placed under a warden as provided in the act of 1913. The warden will be appointed by the prison board, which now comes into existence.

It is understood that Ody Abbott, who was a deputy sheriff under the late Alexander B. Gray, Jr. and in charge of the jail, will be named for that position. A largely signed petition is already prepared to be presented to the board in his behalf.

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THE TRUTH WILL OUT

Esthonis, Lithuania and Latvia, Baltic States were applicants for admission to the League of Nations, says the Manufacturer's Record. M. Viviani, former Premier of France, arose and said: "I join all those who express sympathy with or hope for, the Balkan States, but there is a grave question involved. There is an article in the Covenant which has made some noise in the world—Article J—which requires the members of the League to go to the aid of a fellow member which is attacked. Now, who will be ready to go to aid in the defense of those Balkan States? Let those vote to admit them first make sure that their governments are ready to send troops to defend them.

The applications were rejected.

What difefrence did it make what the President or the Senate of the United States thought Article X meant, if the other members of the League had no doubt, but took it to mean what it said? A perpetual commitment to defend the frontiers of every mushroom state in Europe with the blood and treasure of the United States. Well may the people of the United States be grateful that the patriotism of the Senate permitted them to vote against such a sacrifice of national interests. Well may we all rejoice that to such far-reaching guarantees - we are not a partner.

DAUGHERTY'S SELECTION.

The Cincinnati Enquirer, leading Democratic organ of Ohio and the United States, in a recent issue, spoke thus of the selection of Harry M. Daugherty as Attorney General in President Harding's cabinet: The selection by President-elect Harding of Harry M. Daugherty for attorney general in his cabinet is distinctly his own choice. The misdirected opposition only confirmed Mr. Harding in his preference, and probably hastened his announcement.

Mr. Daugherty is fully fitted for the work to which he is assigned in the Harding administration. His long experience at the Ohio bar and with the practice in other courts qualifies him professionally, and his wide acquaintance with the politics of his home state and of the nation will be found not to come amiss.

He was a potent factor in the Harding movement from its inception. He was the inspiration of the pro-primary contest. He was a capable manager at Chicago and a brilliant aid in the subsequent campaign. While his selection thus may be construed by some and probably will be, as a political one, it is really much more a personal one, for he has long been a chosen friend of the President -elect in politics and out of it.

There can be no question of his fitness, nor any doubt that he will administer the office with full credit to himself and his state, and with satisfaction to the nation.

Since Colonel House became a writer for the Philadelphia Public Ledger, remarks the Springfield Republican, he "isn't derided so much as formerly." Much depends on the bedfellows made in politics.

HOME, HENRY.

Henry Morgenthau, President Wilson's personal representative in connection with mediation between Armenia Turkey and Soviet Russia, is reported as declaring that "the forthcoming change of administration [illegible] is going to Armenia that the invitation was extended to President as an individual and not as President of the United States." Just what authority does Mr. Morgenthau believe Mr. Wilson will have as an individual? I only idea these "personal representatives" have regarding personal government. They appear to think it continues after the official status has ceased to exist.

BACK TO THE FARM.

Press dispatches convey the information that with the curtailment of operation of various industries in large cities, there is a reversal of the movement of population. Many people who went to the cities during the past few years are now drifting back to the villages and farms. This will help a little bit in solving the housing problem.

A NEW CEMETERY.

Political graves are awaiting those Southern politicians who persist in opposing the protective policy. The South has changed its way of thinking, and will change its way of voting. It may not vote for candidates on a Republican ticket, but it will vote for candidates who will uphold Republican principles.

It is figured that the work of a farmer's wife in the Northwest is worth $4000 a year and it is lamented that she does not get the money. What this woman, if she ran the farm, would have to pay a hired man to do the work her husband does is not estimated, but it would be a pretty penny. If the farm wife should have a proper salary, why shouldn't the farm husband have one too? And are not both of them working for themselves as well as for each other and for their children?

The former Kaiser is said to be receiving a larger income than when he was on the throne, and the Prussian Junkers are reported to be backing a bill to pay him a billion marks for one of his estates. The Croesus at Doorn ought to put his hand in his pocket and feed some of Germany's starving children—if there are any.

A French scientist announces that our planet is 100,000,000 years old. Such guessing at least has solid earth under it, which is somewhat more than can be said of the figures as to the prodigious size of Betelgeuse and other incalculably distant sun-starss.

National banks pay some of their presidents as much as $100,000 a year, and they can afford it. National banks as a whole earned 23.09 per cent of their capital last year and those of New York City earned 37.5 per cent.

Limited number of 59-cent records now on sale at Schroeders, Fifth street, Charleroi. Come quick to secure best selections, 304-6 Fifth street, Charleroi. 227-t2

Valuable.

Smolen island, near Kristianssund, Norway, is a flat spot of land possessed of immense areas of peat bog. It is doubtful whether there is anywhere a better location for the production of peat in large quantities.—Omaha Bee

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Foot-Rule for Matrimony.

The trouble with most marriages is that a man always makes the mistake of marrying the woman who carries him off his feet—instead of trying to find one who keeps him on them.—Los Angeles Express.

STREET LIGHTING WAS DISCUSSED

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[illegible] The current supplied to these lights throughout the system is to be by means of underground wires.

We therefore, for our heirs, successors and assigns, agree to pay the Borough of Sharon semi-annually in advance at the rate of Sixty-five cents per foot front per annum on property owned by us as is described in this petition for the White Way Light for a term of ten years. First payment to be made upon receipt of notice from the Borough of Sharon.

In case of a sale of this property I agree to procure the acceptance of this contract and this clause by the purchaser.

The foregoing might serve as a suggestion of our own local condition.

Mr. Davidson, illuminating engineer for the MacBeth Evans company of Pittsburg will appear on the program on Friday evening to give expert advise. Also there will be a representative of the Penn Power Co., who will be able to make a statement concerning the cost of power.

It is believed that the people of Charleroi will rally at this Forum meeting and take an earnest part in the discussion.

Guy Moffitt, Esq., will preside at the meeting.

LIQUOR WITHDRAWALS HAVE BEEN HALTED

C. G. Llewellyn, collector of internal revenue in the Pittsburgh district, on Tuesday received instructions from William M. Williams, commissioner of internal revenue at Washington, to refuse to issue stamps covering tax payments of whiskey, brandy, rum or gin until further notice. No further withdrawals from distillers' bonded warehouses to distillers' free warehouses will be permitted until further notice.

These new rulings, it is said, will probably close up distillers completely, as it prohibits the removal of whisky and other liquors for bottling. Before an order became effective on January 27, stopping the withdrawal of whisky from bond, many of the distillers engaged in bottling. At that time authorities in Washington said sufficient whisky and other spiritous liquor was on the legitimate market to satisfy the need of drug stores and hospitals and asylums and similar institutions.

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"Poor W. [illegible]" of Porto Rico.

Nor was servitude confined to Africans. Spain long used Porto Rico as a penal colony, and when public works no longer required them the convicts were turned loose to shift for themselves. Most of them took to the mountains, where the "poor white" population is numerous to this day. Yet the later generations are no more criminal than the Australians; if there is much petty thieving, it is natural in a hungry, overcrowded community.

Hand Kissing Is Old Custom.

Amongst the Romans the custom of kissing hands was very common; people desiring a favor of anyone, even if he was an equal, would come near, and thus salute him before making the request, though usually equals gave each other their hands or embraced. Soldiers in the army kissed the hands of their generals to show respect; the same honor was given to the consuls and praetors.

Beliefs About Parsley.

It was said that parsley seed went nine times to the devil before coming up. If parsley were sown on any day except Good Friday, it was thought that it would not come up curly. In ancient Greece the graves were strewn with parsley. It was and is today considered unlucky to transplant parsley. The children were told that the new baby had been found in the parsley bed.

Of Dreadful Imagination.

The were-wolf belongs to the class that includes the dragon, the unicorn, the basilisk, the cockatrice and other fabulous monsters, but he was probably the most terrifying of all, for he was believed to have the malice and cunning of a man with the ferocity of a voracious animal. Man's imagination has made some strange animals with which to frighten him, but nature outstripped him with the ichthyosaurus, the megalosaurus and the pterodactyl, which she grew tired of and threw out before man made his appearance in the scheme of life on this globe.

Some wonderful bargains in pianos and player pianoes at Schroders this week; 304-6 Fifth street, Charleroi. 227-t2

IN THE TRACK OF ANIMALS

Migration of the Beasts One of the Causes of the Wanderings of Primitive Tribes.

The human problem is closely connected with that of the animal life of both the present and the past. Primitive man was a hunter. In the early geologic ages, the geography of the earth was quite unlike what it is at present. Land existed where today there are great lakes and seas, mountains were elevated and treeless deserts formed. Animals used the "land bridge" to travel from one continent to another. At first the early mammals, little more than beasts themselves, banded together for purposes of defense against the dangerous animals of the ground. The giant rhinoceroses, bison, mammoths, wolves, bears and tigers—all were the enemies of man. As men's intellects developed, they waged an offensive warfare, and with stones, clubs and rude spears attacked the animals of the plains and forests. Moreover, they became dependent upon the beasts for food and skins so that, as they moved from place to place, the game followed on their heels. This animal migration was undoubtedly one of the many causes of the wanderings of primitive tribes. Most important of all, climate had a profound influence upon the development, life and wanderings of primitive man and the animals upon which he fed.

Although its scientific importance has long been recognized, Asia is less known, paleontologically, than any other part of the world. The fossils of eastern and central Asia are known only from a small collection of fragments purchased in the medicine shops of Tientsin, China, and described by a German named Schlosser. Fossils are known there as "dragon bones," and are supposed to possess remarkable medicinal qualities.

FOUGHT TO HELP INSANE

New England Woman Pioneer of One of the Worthiest Causes Ever Engaged In.

A New England woman, single-handed, and in the scenes where Puritan ancestors had heartlessly condemned witches—old woman suffering mental ailments—made the fight which opened the way for insane asylums in this country as they are known today.

The woman was Dorothea Lyne Dix, who ran away from her home in Worcester, Mass., from a religious fanatic of a father. The beginning of the nineteenth century saw only four insane asylums in this country, only one of which had been built by state direction. The scores operating today for more than 240,000 insane are the work of this woman, who, in later years, passionately cried, "I never knew childhood," and who, at fourteen, taught school, her sleeves lengthened and her skirts made longer in a pitiful attempt to appear "grownup" and command due respect "by an adult appearance."

In 1841 she visited the house of correction in East Cambridge. What she saw there started her on a tour of the jails and almshouses of Massachusetts. Her memorial to the state legislature asking for reform pictured conditions as squalid and revolting as though from the pen of Dickens.

Amber Both Jewel and Medicine.

Although it is sometimes denied that amber was known to the Greeks in very early times it has actually been found at Mycenae, and the fact that the electron necklace mentioned in the Odyssey is said to have been a gift from Phoenicia means much. Amber has been used in medicine since the time of Hippocrates; formerly it was prescribed in powder and given in poached egg. The "volatile" salt obtained in the process of distilling the oil was, states the Chemist and Druggist, another favorite form. The oil of amber referred to is obtained by the destructive distillation of amber. It is considered by medical authorities today to be a successful remedy for the hiccough and typhoid fever. It is employed in another form for painful spasm and delirium tremens. It also forms an element in a well-known domestic embrocation for whooping cough.

Curative Power a Mystery.

It is a curious fact that no one has ever been able to discover why the Hot Springs waters are so beneficial. They contain no chemicals that are of special value so far as can be discovered. It is claimed by some that radioactivity is the secret of their effect. Others say that their benefits are purely imaginary. This can hardly be the case, however, for men have been coming to the springs for hundreds of years and going away feeling stronger and younger. The Indians made them a neutral place in time of war. The early settlers traveled for many days through the wilderness to reach them. They were probably the fountain of youth, rumor of which started Ponce de Leon on his travels. And today they are one of the favorite places of recreation and recuperation of that modern hero, the weary business man

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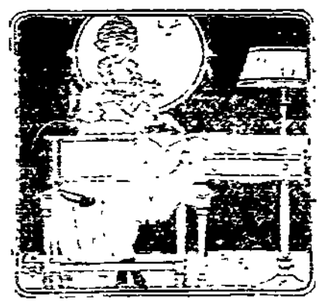
Meant What She Said.

Mabel—How can you be so insincere? You told Mr. Boreleigh that you were sorry you were out when he called.

Marie—Oh, no, my dear. I said I was sorry he called when I was out. You see, he's likely to call some time when I am in.—Boston Transcript.



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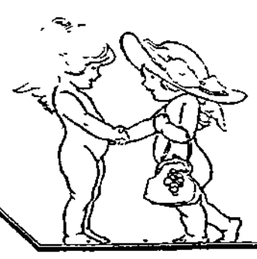
Light boning, low bust with rubber top are features of the new BON TON corsets.



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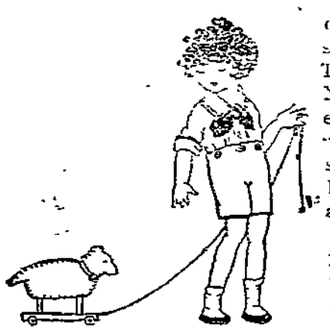
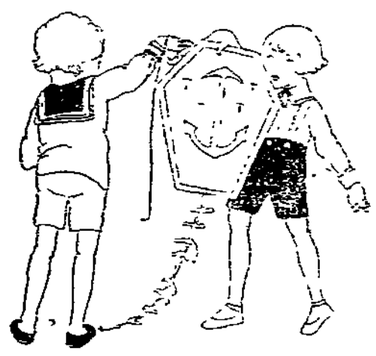
Remember, for 2 days only Mr. Lee Luken, the tailoring expert, will be with us.

Special Display of Suits FOR TOTS



We have received and placed on display in our window, the entire sample line of the "Blue Jacket" Tailoring Company of Fifth Avenue, New York." This line of hand tailored suits will be on display for one week and we would be pleased to show you this fine assortment of Kiddies' Suits, and take orders for any size you might need. This will be an exceptional opportunity for you to see all the different styles they make for the line is a little too good for us to carry the full assortment in stock. This showing is for one week only. "Blue Jacket" Tailored Suits for Tots.



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WANT ADS

FOR SALE—6 rooms, bath and furnace on paved street, Lock No. 4. A good home for $4500. Bowers & Hall. 209-tf

FOR SALE—McKean avenue, $6,000.00 two houses on 1 lot, six rooms with bath room, electric, hot air furnace and four room house rear, water and gas. Tenth Street, $5000.00 7 rooms, bath and electric. Crest avenue, $3600.00 6 rooms, lot 40x120. Sixth street, $1950.00 5 rooms, water gas and electric. Lock No. 4, Center avenue, $3500.00, 5 rooms, bath, gas and water. Inquire E. J. Charles. Charleroi Savings and Trust Co. 216-tf

FOR SALE—Five rooms and bath on Crest avenue. Possession about April 1921. See A. L. Dubinsky, 407 Fallowfield avenue, Charleroi. 219tf

FOR SALE—Good second hand family sewing machines, also one shoe maker machine. Bargain to quick buyers. White Sewing Machine Co., 423 Fallowfield Ave. 224t6p

FOR SALE—4 rooms, large lot, water, gas and electric. Second St. $1600. Bowers & Hall. 224tf

FOR SALE—Four room cottage, bath and pantry, hot and cold water, gas and electricity. Hot air furnace. Cemented cellar. Lot 42x100. Garage in rear. Inquire 615 Shady. 225t3p

FOR SALE—Small buggy and large buggy also a man's bicycle. Will sell or trade for boy's. 39 Lincoln avenue and First street. 226t2p

FOR SALE—Dodge touring car 1918 model. First class condition. Price $800. Inquire 621 Washington or call Bell Phone 197-J. 226-t6p

FOR SALE—Two best lots on Center avenue, Lock Hill. Bargain to quick buyer. Apply Box 153 Lock No. 4. 256-t5p

FOR RENT—A good business building April 1st. Will remodel to suit owner. See A. L. Dubinsky, 407 Fallowfield avenue. 190tf

FOR RENT—Large storeroom in best block in Charleroi. Especially located for grocery or meat market attraction, side issue. Address 546 Mail office. 226-t12p

FOR RENT—One furnished room. Inquire 203 McKean. 226-t2p

FOR RENT—Two furnished rooms for light housekeeping. Inquire 315 Fallowfield. 226t6p

FOR RENT—Two furnished rooms for housekeeping. 212 Washington Ave. 225t4p

FOR RENT—Furnished room suitable for a salesman. One or two. Hot or cold water. 310 5th St. 225t2p

FOR RENT—Two front rooms, also two rooms for light housekeeping. Mrs. S. M. Martin 734 Washington avenue. 227-t2p

FOR RENT—Furnished room. 616 Fifth street. 227-t4

WANTED

Girl for general housework (no washing.) Apply 234 Third St., Charleroi. 227-2t

WANTED—Salesman to sell candy to the trade for local concern. Steady work. Salary and commission. Reference. Write P. O. Box 267. 223t5

WANTED—Why be idle? Sell guaranteed trees and shrubs. Commence now and draw weekly pay. Part or full time. Guaranty Nursery Co., Rochester, N. Y. 225t9p

WANTED—Woman for cleaning. Also girl for housework, not under 18 408 Fallowfield avenue. 225-t6

WANTED—Girl or woman over 21 years of age to work in our bargain basement. Only a good live wire and hustler need apply. A good chance for promotion to one who can make good in Berrymans. 226-tf

LOST—Knights of Pythias charm. Finder please return to Charleroi Hotel. 226-t3p

WANTED—Good girl for general housework. No one under 18. Inquire 700 Crest Avenue. 221tf

WANTED—To rent a furnished house or three or four furnished rooms, with privilege of possession between now and April 1st. Call Bell phone 471, Charleroi. 227t4p

PACKING CO. ASKED TO REPAIR BRIDGE

Frank Kelly of Pittsburg, a driver of a truck for the Pittsburg Provision company, while in an alleged intoxicated condition on Saturday afternoon last, crashed into the iron bridge on the Taylor run road, about a mile and a half from Monongahela wrecking the side of one end of the structure. With Kelly was a helper, and it is said both men wer intoxicated and that the driver was rushing the truck along in a reckless manner.

Just before the bridge is reached is a sharp curve. The truck, it is said, rounded the curve rapidly and hit the end of the bridge with a crash. The main iron brace running at an angle from the top of the bridge to the floor was broken fair in two. Another upright brace from the floor to the top of the bridge was broken. The bridge was knocked somewhat out of plumb and otherwise damaged. The front of the truck was damaged.

It will cost several hundred dollars to make repairs. Kelley was arrested and on Monday, before Alderman Elwood of Monongahela, was found over for court. It is understood the company at once discharged the men from their employment. The county has sent in a claim to the packing company for the damage done. Engineer Chaney having made an estimate of the cost of repairs. Commissioner Johnson and Engineer Chaney attended the hearing at Monongahela.

Charleroi Drops Another Game

and the former registered nine fouls out of twelve chances. The team worked together as a unit, and merited the victory.

Charleroi started off well, keeping pace with their opponents, and having a slight margin at the conclusion of the first half of play, when the score was 12 to 11 in their favor. Early in the third quarter, two foul goals were added by Wagner, whose foul shooting, by the way, was a long way off color, and this was the last of Charleroi's scoring. Washington soon after evened matters up, after which the deluge came. Point by point swelled the visitors' total, until twenty-five was reached; meanwhile, the locals were standing still. It was a sad experience for the many admirers of the latter to have to sit and watch their favorites wandering exhaustedly around the floor, unable to stand the strain of such speedy playing. It was not so, earlier in the season. Last night's exhibition was a splendid object lesson, and it is hoped that high school athletics will profit thereby.

Tom Brown shone for the locals. He played hard and conscientiously at all times. "Dooley" Burnett, right from the beginning of play, looked like a whirlwind. He caged three field goals in very short order, and otherwise gave a pretty good account of himself, although not playing in his usual position. He started the game at forward, but returned to center taking Hazelbaker's place ere the game had progressed very far, Stephens being sent in as forward. Wagner also played hard, until, as with some of the other players, nature failed to withstand the strain. Daniel, who replaced Stephens, gave a good account of himself.

There were those present who were prone to find fault with the work of Referee Alley. Be that as it may, Charleroi's defeat was due in no way to the arbiter's ruling. It it quite an easy matter to criticise. The duties of a referee are extremely severe, and no man can be found to be perfect in that work. The high school authorities have been striving for several years to remove this menace. Fair and honest criticism is constructive, but the opposite serves only to incite less responsive ones to riotous conduct. A crowd of hoodlums congregated about the high school building after the game, and were threatening to do dire things to the referee and the visiting players. However, nothing materialized, and a recurrence of such an exhibition is liable to result in the arrest and prosecution of the prime movers in such cases. The summary:

Charleroi—14		Washington—25
Wagner	F	Miller
Burnett	F	Cohen
Hazelbaker	C	Lyle
Webster	G	Jones
Brown	G	Landay

Substitutions: Charleroi—Burnett for Hazelbaker, Stephens for Burnett, Daniel for Stephens; Washington—Draper for Landay. Field goals—Wagner, Burnett 3; Lyle 5, Miller, Jones, Landay. Foul goals—Wagner, 6 out of 14; Webster, 0 out of 2; Miller, 9 out of 12. Timekeepers—Daniel and Creigh. Scorers—Clipman and Grossman. Referee—Alley.

WOMEN WHO OVERWORK

"Man may work from sun to sun, but woman's work is never done." In order to keep the home neat and attractive, the children well dressed and tidy, women continually ... and suffer in silence, drifting along from bad to worse, knowing full well that they need help to overcome the pains and aches which daily make life a burden. Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound is a medicine with specific value which overcomes many of the worst forms of female complaints, as the letters constantly being published in this paper will prove.

We herewith wish to extend our appreciation for the kind floral offerings and participation in the feeling of our intense sorrow at the time of death of Mrs. Emma Wagner.

Mr. Paul Wagner, husband.

Mr. and Mrs. Kohle and Family. 227t1-p

ANNOUNCEMENT

We are pleased to announce our annual exhibit of Marble and Granite Memorials, which will be held in our show rooms, at Monongahela beginning Tuesday, March 1st, and continuing one week.

Our exhibit this year will be larger and better than ever and will consist of many different kinds of the leading granites, also the celebrated Vermont Marble.

An early inspection will assure you of the opportunities to be derived from this exhibit and we invite those interested in memorial art to visit our display at this time. Open evenings till 9 p. m. during exhibit.

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We have much to offer in the way of smart Hosiery this season. Plain clocked and lace insert styles, a pair

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You may have your choice of silk, fabric or kid gloves in a wide range of styles at

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COLONIALS WIN FROM MONESSEN

The Charleroi Colonials defeated the Monessen Tinplate Five in a one-sided game on the Monessen High school floor, Monday night, by the score of 38 to 15. The work of the Charleroi team was too much for the Monessen boys, and they suffered a severe defeat. Weaver, the former Charleroi High school star, was in the Colonial lineup and played his usual stellar game. Ellsworth will be the attraction at the H. T. A. C. Thursday evening, at which time the Colonials expect to present their usual strong line-up.

Colonials—38		Monessen—15
P. McGuire	F	Wheatley
Geard	F	McCleary
Estaque	C	Mowl
Ludwig	G	Braddock
Protin	G	Bertinet

Subs—Weaver for Ludwig; Furnier for Protin; Kisido for Braddock; Socko for Mowl. Field goals, Weaver 3, Protin 2, Ludwig 4, Estaque 4, Geard 2, McGuire 1: Wheatley 2, Mowl, Bertinet, Socko. Fouls, McCleary 5 out of 10; McGuire 5 out of 8. Referee, Alexander; scorer, Sannier; time keeper, Harper.

WILL OPPOSE A CUT IN STEAMBOAT WAGES

It was reported on Monday that beginning with March 1st all of the independent companies operating on rivers in the Pittsburg district, with the exception of the Carnegie Steel company, would inaugurate a wage reduction of 20 per cent. At a meeting of Marine Engineers' Beneficial Association, held in Pittsburg Tuesday night, the proposition of the steamboat owners was debated and a resolution was unanimously adopted to refuse to accept a cut.

JUDGE BROWNSON NAMED ON BOARD OF MANAGERS

Governor William C. Sproul on Monday nominated Judge James I. Brownson, additional law judge of Washington county, to be a member of the Board of Managers of the Western Pennsylvania Training School at Morganza. The nomination was confirmed by the Senate. Judge Brownson succeeds Judge McIlvaine, president judge of the court of common pleas, who resigned a few weeks ago from the board, due to the fact that his health did not permit him to give to the duties of the position the time they required.

Elks' Bowling League

WAHOOS—				
F. Piersol, Capt.	129	124		—253
H. A. Russell	115	124	151	—390
Reeves	79			— 79
S. Piersol	119	147	1124	—390
Jordan	120	136	154	—410
W. Phillips, Jr.		139	136	—275
Kimmins			154	—154
Totals	562	670	719	1951
DEVIL DOGS—				
F. Pieper, Capt.	160	137	98	—395
Urban	103	134	122	—359
Vernon	102		118	—220
W. Phillips, Sr.	123	139	168	—435
Irose	132	110		—242
Waggoner		113		—113
F. Myers			107	—107
Total	625	633	613	1871

Governor William C. Sproul on Monday nominated Alexander B. Gray, Sr., to serve as Sheriff of Washington county until the first Monday in January, 1922. The nomination was sent to the Senate Monday night and immediately confirmed by that body. Mr. Gray will enter immediately upon the duties of the office, made vacant by the death of his son, Alexander B. Gray, Jr., on the 17th day of February.

VIOLATED PAROLE; IS SENT TO JAIL

Lucy Jordan of Ellsworth was taken before court on Monday by Parole Officer F. H. Mitchell on a charge of violating her parole. Some time ago she pleaded guilty to a charge of violating the liquor laws. She was sentenced to pay the costs, a fine of $500 and to spend three months in jail. She was paroled by the court on payment of the fine and costs. Officer Mitchell stated that she had since then persisted in the sale of certain patent medicines which contain a large percentage of alcohol and which are sold as beverages. The officer found 35 cases of this medicine in her establishment, besides four barrels of grape wine.

The woman produced a letter from the Hollender Brothers Drug Co., of Braddock, manufacturers of these "medicines" which stated it had received a letter from the internal revenue department stating that the use of alcohol was permitted in medicines. However, this did not relieve her from responsibility for violating the state liquor laws. The court sent her to jail to serve out her sentence of three months.

TONIGHT IS MEN'S NIGHT AT M. E. CHURCH

At the Methodist Episcopal church, Tuesday evening, the pastor used as his text, the words found in Matthew 6:24: "No man can serve two masters; for either he will hate the one and love the other, or else he will hold to the one and despise the other. Ye cannot serve God and mammon." Supreme love for our Lord and true devotion to his service were emphasized. The dangers of rendering less were affirmed. Tonight is men's night at the services.

Mother, You Should Know

that the care of your little one's constitutional habits during childhood, is your first and greatest duty.

You should know that the prompt and proper breaking up of the costive tendency to which most children are prone, may save your child from after-years of digestive misery. That trusted remedy of many mothers,

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Trade Mark. Don't accept any substitute.

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You should ask for

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An attack of croup must not be trifled with. It comes in the dead of night when a doctor is not available. Vapor treatments cannot be depended upon to give results—you can't cut phlegm with vapor. Glessco is a croup remedy that has stood the test of time. For forty years it has proven effective in millions of American homes. It is safe, reliable and quick in action.

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OUR JOB DEPARTMENT IS ALWAYS BUSY— THERE'S A REASON

ALMOST LOST BIG DISCOVERY

Predatory Bird Carried Off Pod Containing Precious Seed That Produced Burbank Potatoes.

Luther Burbank recently told Colorado potato men a story of his discovery of the world-famous Burbank potato, which has only recently come to light. While Burbank was experimenting with potatoes about twenty years ago he noticed in his patch one plant which held one particularly promising pod of seeds. To his practiced eye these seeds and the plant which bore them would contain the germ of a new and excellent potato. If he had thought it necessary he would have put a watchman over this one small seed ball. As it developed later, the money that would have been required for a watchman would have been but a minute drop of silver in the ocean of gold which this one pod was destined to produce.

Every morning Burbank would go to the patch to see how the pod was faring, and often during each day he would look at the plant to discover the time when the pod could be picked.

One morning he went into the patch and the pod was gone. With the help of workmen he searched for it. Finally, after hunting for hours, 20 feet away from the plant, in the midst of other plants, the pod was found.

"I think a bird must have picked it off and tried to carry it away," Mr. Burbank told the Colorado potato men. "Anyhow, there it lay, and I picked it up and planted the seeds, and that's how we have Burbank potatoes today."

HAD NO ANSWER TO THAT

Georgia Man's Assertion Concerning Watermelons Left Upholder of Indiana Product Gasping.

Harry Grimsley, a Terre Haute Rotary club man, comes from Georgia and is still in love with his native state. He boasts of its wonders, and the last time he discoursed on it, was telling of the wonderful bargains he got in watermelons. "Why, we got the very biggest ones for only five cents," he said.

"But they aren't so big as the ones we have up here," persisted one of his listeners. "Why, out on my farm we had some half as big around as half the top of this table. We didn't eat any of it except the core and yet the whole family had enough of it and more."

"Down there," drawled Mr. Grimsley in his most southern drawl, "we never eat nearer than two feet of the rind of the melon and yet there's always more than enough for a family in one melon."—Indianapolis News.

Sacred Mohammedan Rock.

A report on the Dome of the Rock of Jerusalem is shortly to be published and will be of great interest to the Mohammedan world. It may not be generally known that this place is the third in sanctity of all the sanctuaries of Islam, and indeed for a short period it actually formed the Kibla toward which all Moslems prostrated themselves in prayer.

Among the more important religious associations of this rock we may mention it was here that David and Solomon were called to repentance, and on account of a vision David chose this site for his temple. From this same spot Mohammed ascended to the seventh heaven after his night journey from Mecca, and lastly it is to be the scene of the Great Judgment. The historical associations are not less striking and such famous names as Omar Abdel-Malek, Saladin and Suleiman are all connected with the rock.

Self-Luminous Animals.

Not less than 36 different orders of animals are self-luminous, we are told by the new work of E. Newton Harvey on "The Nature of Animal Light." These include many forms of protozoa, hydroids, jellyfish, bryozoa, polychaete and oligochaete worms, brittle stars, crustacea, myriopods, insects, mollusks, primitive chordates and fishes. None of the luminous species inhabit fresh water, all being terrestrial or marine. The luminosity is sometimes shown by both larvae and adults, and in a few instances by eggs. In experiments made, two substances have been isolated—luciferase, an enzyme, and luciferin, a proteid—and the light appears to result from bringing these together in the presence of oxygen and water.

Recovered Coin After Fifty Years.

Fifty years ago when the foundations were being laid for the Washington statue in front of Independence hall, in Philadelphia, John Nash, then a policeman, threw a 2-cent piece into the hole being dug for the foundations. Recently when some changes were being made to the statue, Nash recalled the incident and stirred up the dirt and uncovered the coin. It will be hung in Independence Hall, incidentally, Mr. Nash recalls that 2 cents had a buying capacity at that time treble that of today.

Smoke Injures Galvanized Iron.

Galvanized iron has been found by a German chemist to be unsuitable for roofing much exposed to smoke. Sulphur dioxide, though having little effect when dry, causes rapid deterioration in presence of moisture, and a mixture of sulphur and carbon dioxide is very corrosive, though moist carbon dioxide alone has slight action. The microscope shows in the corroded galvanized iron minute cavities and sulphate containing ferric oxide, due to galvanic action, or [illegible] of the zinc coating.

Danger in Incandescent Lamps.

Evidence that the high-power incandescent lamps now so commonly used for street lighting may not be wholly innocent as a possible source of fire was observed in southern California recently, says Popular Mechanics Magazine. A bulb hanging 20 feet above the ground suddenly burst and the white-hot particles of metal it scattered instantly ignited the dry grass at the foot of the pole. Fire wardens of the district are now advocating the use of suitable guards about the lamps.

Oriental Peculiarities.

Chinese medicine developes a special fondness for fossilized "dragon bones," derived from extinct herbivora. They are also fond of "dragon teeth," as fossilized shells are called. In Shantung, glue is made from asses' skins. In a certain town of that province is a well the water of which, when drunk by asses, makes their skins especially good for making glue. This glue brings a fancy price, as it is a famous tonic throughout China.

New Fishing Methods.

A Lamont man who is charged with having taken a fish from a private fish pond declares the fish were so tame that one of them was eating out of his hand, and he simply closed his fingers on it and carried it away. Our own method has always been to whistle to the creatures from across the fence, and walk away, innocent-like, while they trot down the road after us.—Detroit News.

The florists were long puzzled by the problem of bringing all their poinsettia plants to full bloom for the holiday season. In time a solution was offered by Dr. W. W. Gardner and H. H. Allard of the United States Department of Agriculture, who discovered that by regulating the amount of light which was allowed to reach the plants, the blossoming date could be speeded or retarded at pleasure. If the sunshine is allowed to fall upon the young poinsettia only a few hours each day, it evidently takes the lack of light for the approach of the shortest day and puts all its efforts into blooming before the end of the year.

Origin of Popular Confections.

Nobody seems to know what muffin came from, but it was probably derived from the word muff, and it can be imagined that it might have been due to some similarity between the warm cake and the hand covering. Fritter is from an old French word meaning to fry or a dish of fried fish, which comes directly from the Latin frictus, the past participle of the verb frigere. Waffle comes from wafer and wafer comes from the German word wabe, a honeycomb or a cake of wax. Originally wafers seem to have been hot cakes like modern waffles. The association of the word wafer with extreme thinness is of modern origin.

How Many Colors for a Section?

Not long ago a train started out of Grand Central in two sections. After running a few miles the first section lost [illegible] and the second, running [illegible] ordered to put up green [illegible] section. As it [illegible] the next tower the [illegible] telephone, "Yes, [illegible] and blew."—[illegible] Mazuma.

It Was Too Much for Him.

Little Lloyd could not understand why [illegible] had a half-brother. It was explained to him—his father had married twice. He couldn't seem to grasp the idea, however. Lloyd soon learned that it was later divorced, all of which [illegible] Chester greatly. But when [illegible] again his bewilderment was complete. "Dad," he implored, "what to call mother-ship is Lloyd to go now?"

Fake and Truth About the Aspen.

The aspen leaf is said to quiver because the cross of the crucifixion was made of this wood. The fact is that the leaf is broad, and placed on a long leaf-stem so flexible as scarcely to be able to support it in an upright position. The upper part of the stalk is flattened, and, being at right angles with the leaf, is peculiarly liable to be moved by the faintest breath of air.

Citrous Powders.

Announcement is made of the discovery of a successful process for reducing orange juice and lemon juice to dry powders, the method adopted being much like that employed for the production of powdered milk. Dry air, at not too high a temperature, evaporates the juices to dryness, thus preserving the fresh flavor. When wanted for use, it is necessary merely to add water.

Extenuation.

The man who stole 900 pairs of stockings will, of course, try to gain sympathy in court by pleading that stocking darning is a lost or an abandoned art and that laundries do more harm than good. Added to these reasons why many pairs are necessary he may plead reluctance to wearing one pair until, as they say in mining camps, they become rights and lefts.—Sun and New York Herald.

Power of Love.

Love is what makes a person at the amateur theatricals think the leading lady is every bit as good as a professional.—Ohio State Journal.

Valuable Gift.

Probably the most valuable gift of all is ability to dismiss things from one's mind.—Ohio State Journal.

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